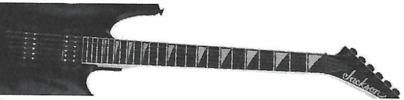
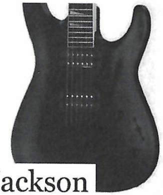


hat was the best concert you've ever seen

astodon. I saw them in 2013 at SPAC. I was like, ne. They were just absolutely insane. Five Finger eath Punch was there. It was the first time I ever w a pit. And it was massive. There was like 80 ople in there going in a circle and I was like, aaat? Amon Amarth was there and they had rotechnics. It was just fire. I was like, I want to do at. Fire on stage.



hat was the first guitar you purchased?

don't know the year, but it was a Jackson nkie. A little, little, crappy guitar. Every death etal band I've heard, every death metal itarist, their first guitar was a Jackson Dinkie.

ere does your songwriting inspiration come from?

st whatever I feel in the moment. It's very oradic. It could be a very heavy, slamy song, or e complete opposite like sad boy stuff.

tell us what happened the first time you met Will, a.k.a. tweak?

First time I actually met him, I was at a house show somewhere in Troy, and I was standing on a couch. Which wasn't a good idea to do and all I see is this very scary shirtless dude running at me with a fist., and he cracked my rib.

what's been your favorite selfless demise show?

Damn. Oh, wow, I gotta think about that. Probably Mount Ida, the 2nd time. As much as I remember of that show... it was pretty nice. (flyer in center fold)

john at spac in 2013

what are you excited for on tour?

Trying new food. I want to try Chicago dogs, really bad. So bad. And meeting people, too. I always like doing that.